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**Subject:** minutes from LA-LB South mtg 01 Dec 99  
LCDR Bill Drelling presented a brief on the recent platform spill off of Huntington Beach including video and pictures.

The committee discussed the dispersant pre approval/quick approval process, Members were invited to the upcoming Regional Response Team (RRT) meeting on 14 Dec when several presentations will be made on the topic. The intent is to designate on a chart the areas where pre approval is granted. This only applies in Federal waters (beyond 3 miles) from shore. California is the only state that does not have pre approval. There is concern that the response organizations will stop carrying dispersant without a likelihood of using it. Discussed the FOG & ICS forms working groups proposed changes. There is a proposal to change the triangle into an oval to modify the structure of the unified command to include local agencies. Many expressed concerns about being able to reach agreement with large unified commands and does every county and city get to put representatives into the unified command. Discussed focusing local agency efforts in planning section.

The area committee wants draft copies of the new FOG given to the committee so they have the opportunity to provide comments before it is finalized.

OSPR held a meeting in Sacramento with response contractors to discuss the unannounced drill program. A committee was formed. Currently the unannounced drill program is on hold.

Next South meeting will be Thursday 03 Feb at 1:30 at the MSO/Group.

Have a great holiday and New Year!

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